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Megumi Saito
Galyn A. Schulz
Thomas Dietz
Dinesh M. Bhat

Kenneth E. Saffran
Richard D. Huss
William T. Buchholz

Additional names(s) of conveying party(ies) ☐ Yes ☒ No

3. Nature of conveyance:

- ☒ Assignment ☐ Merger
☐ Security Agreement ☐ Change of Name
☐ Other _____

Execution Date: 1/30; 3/8; 3/1; 2/24; 2/26; 2/19 & 2/26/1999

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies):

Name: **FORT JAMES CORPORATION**

Internal Address: _____

Street Address: **1650 Lake Cook Road**

City: **Deerfield** State: **IL** ZIP: **60015**

Additional name(s) & address(es) attached? ☐ Yes ☒ No

4. Application number(s) or registration numbers(s):

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A. Patent Application No.(s)

29/095,948
filed
11/2/1998

B. Patent No.(s)

Additional numbers attached? ☐ Yes ☒ No

5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:

Name: **Michael W. Ferrell, Esq.**

Internal Address: **Ferrell & Ferrell L.L.P.**

Street Address: **90 Crystal Run Road, Suite 409**

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6. Total number of applications and patents involved:

1

7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41):.....\$ **120.00**

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Signature

March 12, 1999

Date

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PATENT

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ASSIGNMENT

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF this assignment has been executed by
UNDERSIGNED on the date opposite her/his (their) name.

Date Jan. 30 1999 Megumi Saito (LS)
Megumi Saito

Date _____ (LS)
Galyn A. Schulz

Date _____ (LS)
Thomas Dietz

Date _____ (LS)
Dinesh M. Bhat

Date _____ (LS)
Kenneth E. Saffran

Date _____ (LS)
Richard D. Huss

Date _____ (LS)
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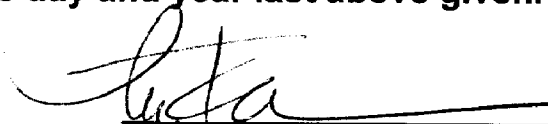
State of New York)
County of Kemp) ss

On January 30, 1999, before me a Notary Public in and for the County
and State aforesaid, appeared

Megumi Saito

to me personally known to be the same person(s) whose name(s) is (are)
subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that s(he) (they)
executed said instrument as her/his (their) free and voluntary act, and for the
uses and purposes therein expressed.

WITNESS my hand and seal the day and year last above given.



Notary Public

State of)
County of) ss

MARISA D. PALLON
Notary Public, State of New York
Qualified in the County of 2000
Commission Expires 2000

On _____, before me a Notary Public in and for the County
and State aforesaid, appeared

Galyn A. Schulz

to me personally known to be the same person(s) whose name(s) is (are)
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Notary Public

State of)
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County of)

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Thomas Dietz

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State of)
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County of)

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Dinesh M. Bhat

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Notary Public

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Richard D. Huss

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State of)
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William T. Buchholz

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Date _____ (LS)

Megumi Saito

Date 3-8-99 _____ (LS)

Galyn A. Schulz

Date _____ (LS)

Thomas Dietz

Date 02/24/99 _____ (LS)

Dinesh M. Bhat

Date 2-26-99 _____ (LS)

Kenneth E. Saffran

Date 2/19/99 _____ (LS)

Richard D. Huss

Date 2/26/99 _____ (LS)

William T. Buchholz

State of)
) ss
County of)

On , before me a Notary Public in and for the County
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Megumi Saito

to me personally known to be the same person(s) whose name(s) is (are)
subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that s(he) (they)
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Notary Public

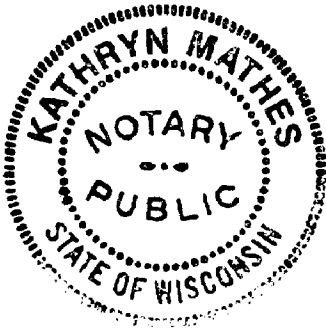
State of Wisconsin)
) ss
County of Winnebago)

On March 8, 1999 , before me a Notary Public in and for the County
and State aforesaid, appeared

Galyn A. Schulz

to me personally known to be the same person(s) whose name(s) is (are)
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WITNESS my hand and seal the day and year last above given.



Kathryn Mathes
Notary Public

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State of)
) ss
County of)

On , before me a Notary Public in and for the County
and State aforesaid, appeared

Thomas Dietz

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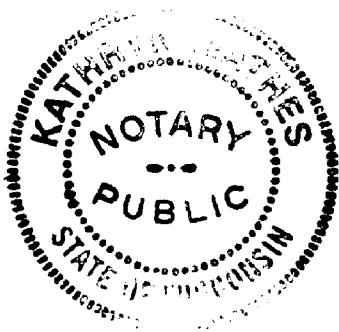
State of Wisconsin)
) ss
County of Winnebago)

On February 24, 1999 , before me a Notary Public in and for the County
and State aforesaid, appeared

Dinesh M. Bhat

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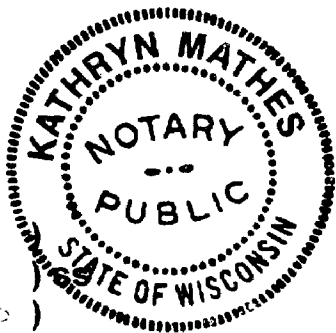
State of Wisconsin)
County of Winnebago) ss

On February 26, 1999, before me a Notary Public in and for the County and State aforesaid, appeared

Kenneth E. Saffran

to me personally known to be the same person(s) whose name(s) is (are) subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that s(he) (they) executed said instrument as her/his (their) free and voluntary act, and for the uses and purposes therein expressed.

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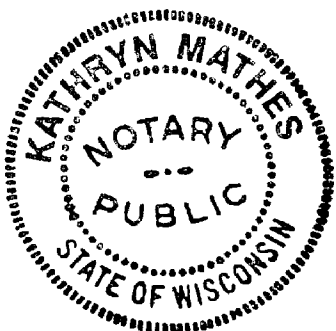
State of Wisconsin)
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On February 19, 1999, before me a Notary Public in and for the County and State aforesaid, appeared

Richard D. Huss

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Date _____ (LS)
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William T. Buchholz

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County of)

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County of)

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Notary Public

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State of Wisconsin)
County of Brown) ss

On March 1, 1999, before me a Notary Public in and for the County
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Thomas Dietz

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Annette M Estel

Notary Public

ANNETTE M. ESTEL
Notary Public, State of Wisconsin
Comission Expires, January 12, 2003

State of)
County of) ss

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Dinesh M. Bhat

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Notary Public

State of)
) ss
County of)

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Kenneth E. Saffran

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County of)

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Notary Public

State of)
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County of)

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William T. Buchholz

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